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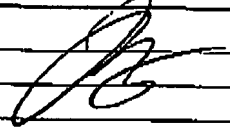
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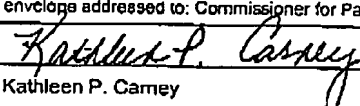
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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S I R :

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement stated in the Office Letter dated **July 25, 2007**.

The Examiner requires that claims of either

- Group I: Claims 1-7, 13, 29-31, 36, 38 and 41, drawn to Multicomputer synchronizing, classified in class 709, subclass 248. Pages 2-3 of the Office Action further explains this Group as directed to synchronizing data among a client and a server;
- Group II: Claims 8, 9, 14-21, 24-28, 32-35, 37, 39 and 40, drawn to Archiving or backup, classified in class 707, subclass 204. Page 3 of the Office Action further explains this Group as directed to updating and storing data on the server; and
- Group III: Claims 10-12, 22, and 23, drawn to Sorting, classified in class 707, subclass 7. Page 3 further explains this Group as directed to sorting a list of messages.

be elected for prosecution.

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Applicant elects to prosecute **GROUP III**. This election is made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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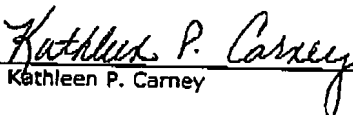
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